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ANNIVERSARY OF THE BEE

On next Friday, June 19, 1896, The Bee will have completed the first twenty-five years of its existence. Founded June 19, 1871, it has grown from a little two-page sheet into the magnificent newspaper of today.

In commemoration of its quarter-centennial anniversary, The Bee for Friday, June 19, will be a special illustrated souvenir number, devoted to the history and achievements of the paper and its founder.

Every tub on its own bottom and every candidate on his own merits. The dark horse seems to have clung pretty closely to his stable so far this year.

Adelcks promises to be as much of a political issue in Delaware this fall as ever. Republican oratory will compare with any the world has heard from the time of Demosthenes down.

After the St. Louis attraction the political wild west at Lincoln will be permitted to occupy the boards.

General Grosvenor can now set his lightning political calculator at work producing forecast bulletins of the results of the November elections.

It will be hot all summer, but not hot enough to interfere with the work of planning and preparing for the great Transmississippi exposition of 1898.

The assessors need not quarrel as to who did it. The question is, who is to undo it? The next legislature must do something to remedy our absurdly low tax assessments.

Mr. Bryan says the St. Louis convention is tame. Of course Mr. Bryan is not accustomed to witness so much party harmony and unity of purpose as pervades republicans this year, leaders, rank and file and all.

The latest is that smallpox is raging in Cuba. With smallpox, yellow fever and the insurgents all attacking them simultaneously the incentive to the Spaniards to withdraw at least temporarily must be extremely powerful.

Mr. Bryan's attendance upon the St. Louis convention is explainable only on the theory that he wants to get the lay of the land so that he can return there next month prepared to get in his work with his populist friends.

The Texas cyclone sufferers return thanks for the assistance afforded them from Nebraska. Nebraska's only regret is that it was not in position to send more contributions. It is only reciprocating favors extended to it on previous occasions.

A PROPHECY THAT FAILED.

It will be remembered that the author of the Wilson tariff bill visited England after that measure became law and was banqueted in London by British manufacturers and merchants.

It is interesting now to recall this prophecy and to point out how completely it has failed. It is needless to say that it did not in the least alarm the British manufacturers to whom it was addressed.

What has been the actual experience? The very reverse of what Mr. Wilson predicted. Instead of our exports of food products increasing they have steadily declined.

The platform that will be adopted at St. Louis condemns in terms none too strong the destructive and deplorable results of democratic policy, which has not realized a single promise of its authors.

CLEVELAND HAS SPOKEN.

The response made by President Cleveland to a newspaper request for a statement concerning the democratic situation may be regarded as in the nature of a message to the democracy.

But it must be apparent to Mr. Cleveland, although he has made no figures as to the probable action of the delegates to the national convention, that there is hardly a possibility of averting what he says will result in lasting disaster to the party organization.

This is a season of suggestions and the great exposition. Men with sound, practical ideas are needed to volunteer co-operation. The task is great; the more one thinks of the enterprise the larger it grows in magnitude.

When the senate committee that is investigating the recent bond sales shall have finished its inquiry it will have learned that the public debt was increased by so many millions by the sale of bonds to make up the deficit in the revenues derived under the Wilson law.

ment of Mr. Cleveland's which is significant in its bearing on the third term question. He says he "desires hereafter no greater political privilege than to occupy the place of private in the ranks."

It is possible, though not probable, that this utterance of Mr. Cleveland's on the democratic situation will have the effect to somewhat check the growth of the free silver sentiment in the ranks of the democracy.

SHOULDERS TO THE WHEEL.

From now on until 1898 every man, woman and child whose interests are bound up in Omaha must put their shoulders to the wheel if the great Transmississippi exposition is to be made creditable to its builders and come up to the high expectations which have with reason been aroused in the people of the whole west.

The first step to be taken is the more complete organization of the exposition association that has taken upon itself the management of the huge venture. For this the most careful thought of our substantial business men is needed.

The national meeting of the Commercial Law League is the next great convention Omaha is privileged to entertain. It is bound to entertain the delegates in a befitting and hospitable manner.

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trap for one party or the other, but beyond that his wisdom will not extend much beyond the lines where it originally started.

The proposition to require all High School girls to don regulation uniform dress may not be a proper subject for comment, but if it is attempted in Omaha the idea must soon be abandoned or there will be no girls in the High School classes.

A building was burned to the ground early one morning this week. The total loss will not exceed \$1,000. The fire department was not promptly called and all it could do was to protect neighboring buildings.

The committee named to outline a program for a public meeting to jubilate over the passage of the exposition law has an important function. The occasion calls for a demonstration the like of which Omaha has not made in recent years.

Five insurance companies doing business in Omaha will doubtless look with dismay upon the proposition to invest nearly half a million dollars by the water works company, as contemplated by the reorganized company now forming.

Every man knows of lots of things he would like to buy if he could only afford to do so and had the where-withal to pay for them.

Our esteemed contemporary, the Lincoln Journal of yesterday, located the row in the New York delegation in New York City notwithstanding the fact that the delegation was supposed to be on the spot in St. Louis.

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TAKE UP WORK IN EARNEST

First Regular Business Session of the Sunday School Institute.

CHURCH CROWDED AT ALL THE SERVICES

Discussions of Sunday School Work and Its Relation to the Church and Christianity—Value of Early Training.

The first day's sessions of the first Interstate Sabbath School Institute of the Presbyterian synods of Iowa and Nebraska were held in the First Presbyterian church with marked success.

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JOKERS' CONVENTION.

Harper's humor: "Did you ever have any serious problems while traveling?" "In 1871 I had a blue suit of it, was traveling through the south that I met my wife."

Indianapolis Journal: "May I be at liberty to quote you in endorsing the sentiment that the voice of the people is the voice of God?" asked the interviewer. "I would not like to commit myself to that sentiment until after the convention," answered the candidate.

Chicago News: "Do you ride a wheel?" asked the object of the doctors on the insanity commission. "Yes, I do," replied the subject. "What make?" "I never noticed." "What verdict was unanimous—dementia."

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EVERY THING.

A pretty girl. A crowded car. "Please take my seat!" And there you are. A crowded car. A woman plain. She stands and there you are again.

WILLIAM MCKINLEY.

Written for The Bee. Bill McKinley, Bill McKinley, you're th' only man you air, Who kin in ninety-seven fill th' vacant space in th' cabinet. You kin count on me on o'ners by th' thousand, so you kin. An' I know it, an' they know it, that you air goin' to win.

WILLIAM MCKINLEY.

Bill McKinley, Bill McKinley, I've a button in my coat. With your platur painted on it, an' when th' time to vote comes, well be standin' round th' polls. A-makin' it unanimous—'cause you're a-goin' to win.

WILLIAM MCKINLEY.

Bill McKinley, Bill McKinley, I would like to strap your hand. An' raise it high up in th' air—makin' a-demmand. For protection, reciprocity, an' that sort, then an' in. Sound money, 'cause we're with you, an' you're a-goin' to win. CLARENCE P. McDONALD, Omaha, Neb.

It is Not Enough

to say that if a suit proves faulty we'll give you another—that goes without saying—but we see to it that you buy just the right kind—perhaps that accounts for the fact that our



20% discount is enough

to increase our business to proportions verging upon the rush order—yes—and the making of the clothes—the good tailoring—the fabrics that withstand the severest tests—the fit—the finish—the fashion—qualities that come from tailors' hand to you for about half the tailors' price have heretofore been considered good enough values—but now because we're getting ready to remodel our store—we are taking off 20 per cent from our plain marked figures—every suit or overcoat for man, or boy, or child is included—nothing reserved, except furnishing goods and hats—even the "Star" waists that were recently marked down from \$1.75 to \$1.00 and the \$1 "Stars" that were marked down to 50c, also get the cut of 20 per cent to get the goods out of the way of the Remodelers of our store. The most remarkable bargains are offered in our children's department as this stock had almost all been reduced in price, before we decided to make these extensive improvements, and now we are giving 20 per cent off on these same plain marked figures.

BROWNING, KING & CO., Getting Ready to Remodel the S. W. Corner 15th and Douglas, Omaha.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report ROYAL Baking Powder ABSOLUTELY PURE